

What is claimed is:

1. A method of coordinating shipping over a network comprising:

providing a master account to a customer;

said master account providing the customer the ability to create and alter subaccounts;

said master account also permitting said customer to maintain and manage a database of shipping information for a supply chain;

said supply chain comprising the master account and subaccounts of said master account; and

said master account also permitting said customer to manage billing for shipping activities of said supply chain.
2. The method of claim 1 wherein said subaccounts may be either limited access accounts or complete access accounts;

a limited access account being a subaccount with restricted ability to ship within the supply chain; and

a complete access account being a subaccount with unrestricted ability to ship.
3. A system for coordinating shipping for a supply chain comprising:
 - a) a server computer;
 - b) a network connected to said server computer;
 - c) a database containing account information and shipping information and
 - d) programs or software on said server enabling a customer to manage and maintain a master account and subaccounts for shipping.